

Appendix 10.2-A
City of Tehachapi (DAC) Letter of Support

March 14, 2013

California Department of Water Resources
Division of Integrated Regional Water Management
Financial Assistance Branch
P.O. Box 942836
Sacramento, CA 94236-0001
Attn: Zaffar Eusuff

Re: Support for the Kern IRWM Group Implementation Grant Proposal including the Snyder Well Intertie Pipeline for Nitrate Removal and Turf Irrigation Project

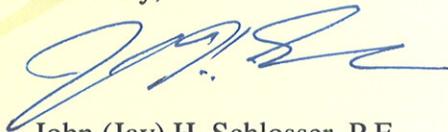
Dear Mr. Eusuff

The letter is provided in support for the above-noted Proposition 84 Implementation Grant Application as submitted by the Kern IRWM Group. This application is the natural extension of our numerous local and regional partners in the Kern IRWMP who have spent years preparing much needed plans for the safety and reliability of our water supply.

Given the City of Tehachapi's size and economic condition as well as our adjudicated basin, opportunities, like the one sought in this application, are very valuable to the community on several levels. The projects that directly affect our City bring clear benefit. Furthermore, projects outside of our immediate community also provide benefits to the City as well as numerous other agencies. Efforts to strengthen the reliability of our water supply and to conserve consumer water usage all across the County allow this precise resource to be used for other purposes in a responsible manner.

Please accept this letter conveying our full support of this effort.

Sincerely,



John (Jay) H. Schlosser, P.E.
City Engineer

Cc: Greg Garrett / COT
Jon Curry / COT

Appendix 10.2-B
Letters of Support from Tehachapi Districts



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March 25, 2013

California Department of Water Resources
Division of Integrated Regional Water Management
Financial Assistance Branch
P.O. Box 942836
Sacramento, CA 94236-0001

Attn: Zaffar Eusuff

Re: Support for the Kern IRWM Group Implementation Grant Proposal including the Tehachapi Regional Water Use Efficiency Project

Dear Mr. Eusuff:

This letter is provided in support for the above-noted Proposition 84 Implementation Grant Application as submitted by the Kern IRWM Group. This application is the natural extension of our numerous local and regional partners in the Kern IRWMP who have spent years preparing much needed plans for the reliability of our water supply.

The Golden Hills Community Services District provides water service to a population over 8,000 persons. The implementation of indoor water conservation measures will help our community to reduce water use and meet state mandated water use targets for our region. This will result in a reduction in water supply needs going forward into the future. We will work with Tehachapi-Cummings County Water District to help implement and promote the program and distribute information to our customers as requested.

Please accept this letter conveying our full support of this effort.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "William C. Fisher", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

William C. Fisher
General Manager



BEAR VALLEY COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT

March 26, 2013

John Martin, General Manager
Tehachapi Cummings County Water District
22901 Banducci Road
Tehachapi CA 93561

**RE: California Department of Water resources
Integrated Regional Water management**

To Whom It May Concern:

The purpose of this letter is to express our support of the Tehachapi Cummings County Water District in their application for the Tehachapi Regional Water Use Efficiency Project grant to implement a water conservation program for the four local water purveyors of the Greater Tehachapi area.

The Bear Valley Community Services District and our Board of Directors are very concerned about water conservation and this grant could offer our residents the opportunity to replace/repair inefficient water fixtures at little or no cost. This would result in lower water consumption overall.

We have an excellent long term working relationship with all the other local water purveyors in our area and fully support Tehachapi Cummings County Water District's grant application. Thank you for your consideration in this matter and please do not hesitate to contact me at if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jeffrey Hodge", is written over the typed name.

Jeffrey Hodge
General Manager



Tehachapi Resource Conservation District

Conserving and Enhancing Our Natural Resources and Environment

March 13, 2013

Mr. John Martin, General Manager
Tehachapi Cummings County Water District
22901 Banducci Road
Tehachapi, California 93561

To Whom It May Concern
California Department of Water Resources
Integrated Regional Water Management

Sirs:

I am Brad Darling, president of the board of directors of the Tehachapi Resource Conservation District (TRCD) and am speaking on behalf of the entire board of directors. The board has reviewed the grant application of Tehachapi Cummings County Water District (TCCWD) and the implementation plan for the District and each of the four purveyors of water within the District.

The board of TRCD feels that the plan is well thought out and organized and that the objectives of the plan are imperative if the Greater Tehachapi area is to have enough sustainable water to accommodate future growth.

Granting of the proposed plan is extremely important for this growing population center of Kern County and Central California.

Thus the board supports this grant application from TCCWD to the Department of Water Resources and strongly urges that the application be granted as requested.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter and please do not hesitate to contact me at my cell (661) 823-0589 or email bdarling@hughes.net, or Associate Director Julia Barraclough at sunwater72@earthlink.net.

Sincerely,

Brad Darling, president
Board of Directors
Tehachapi Resource Conservation District

Build Up. Play Up. Work Up. Explore Up. Live Up.



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TEHACHAPI CUMMINGS
COUNTY WATER DISTRICT

March 21, 2013

John Martin
Tehachapi Cummings County Water District
22901 Banducci Road
Tehachapi, CA 93561

**RE: California Department of Water Resources
Integrated Regional Water Management**

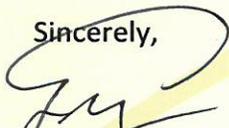
To Whom It May Concern:

The purpose of this letter is to express our support of the Tehachapi Cummings County Water District in their application for the Tehachapi Regional Water Use Efficiency Project grant to implement a water conservation program for the four local public water purveyors.

The City of Tehachapi is very concerned about water conservation and this grant could offer our residents the opportunity to replace/repair inefficient water fixtures at little to no cost. This would result in a decrease in water consumption and help us to meet our gallons-per-capita-per-day targets. If funded, it will have significant positive environmental impacts for the entire community.

Again, I strongly support the Tehachapi Cummings County Water District in their application for the Tehachapi Regional Water Use Efficiency Project grant and ask for your consideration of their application.

Sincerely,



Greg Garrett
City Manager



STALLION SPRINGS COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT

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MAR 26 2013

TEHACHAPI CUMMINGS
COUNTY WATER DISTRICT

John Martin, General Manager
Tehachapi Cummings County Water District
22901 Banducci Road
Tehachapi, CA 93561

In support of: Tehachapi Regional Water Use Efficiency Project
California Department of Water Resources
Integrated Regional Water Management

To Whom It May Concern,

Please accept this correspondence in support of the grant application for the Tehachapi Regional Water Use Efficiency Project. As one of the four public water purveyors in the Greater Tehachapi area, the Stallion Springs Community Services District is working diligently to communicate, educate and alert our residents on the importance of water conservation. To that end: we post information on our website; write conservation tips in our bi-monthly newsletter; include conservation discussions at our annual meetings and promote prudent water use in daily conversations with customers.

The addition of the Water Use Efficiency Project into our blend of activities will provide essential resources to bring the water conservation message home. Our agencies will be able to provide tangible opportunities for easy home water conservancy. Along with the rebate program, we plan to provide literature outlining other ways in which residents can make a significant impact in their water usage and ultimately, their water bill.

The water purveyors within the Greater Tehachapi area work together well – for the greater good. We understand that we are uniquely connected and that wise management of the water resource benefits us all. This grant application is another example of inter-agency cooperation.

Please consider the Tehachapi Regional Water Use Efficiency Project carefully. You can be sure that the Tehachapi Cummings County Water District, on behalf of the four water purveyors, speaks for our group and will be conscientious in carrying out the parameters of the program.

Sincerely,

Mary Beth Garrison
General Manager, Stallion Springs CSD

Appendix 10.5-A
City of Arvin (DAC) Letter of Support



CITY OF ARVIN

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March 19, 2013

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Division of Integrated Regional Water Management
Financial Assistance Branch
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Attn: Zaffar Eusuff

Re: Support for the Kern IRWM Group Implementation Grant Proposal including the
Sycamore Road Flood Damage Reduction Project

Mr. Eusuff,

This letter is to express support for the Proposition 84 Implementation Grant application submitted by the Kern IRWM Group (Group). This Application is part of a continued and successful effort by over 40 local public and private entities seeking to address water supply, water quality, flood damage reduction and various other water resources issues for the Tulare Lake Hydrologic region.

The Tulare Lake region is represented by vast expansions of highly productive agricultural land, numerous medium to large urban centers, and a myriad of small disadvantaged communities. All are dependent upon a reliable and high quality groundwater and surface water supply.

This area of the Central San Joaquin Valley continues to suffer from the economic downturn and experiences some of the highest unemployment rates in the nation. Funding is imperative to support necessary investments in infrastructure and programs that will enhance and protect critical water supply and water quality needs in the Tulare Lake region. The application includes projects that support water conservation, recharge and nitrate removal, including a project to reduce flood damage and protect Arvin resident's health, safety and property while at the same time redirecting and capturing storm flows for recharge purposes. I fully support the Group and its objectives, including those addressed through this Application, and encourage you to give it your most serious consideration.

Sincerely,

Tim Chapa
City Manager

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